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Applicant: Judith C. CLARK

Title: REUSABLE ORNAMENT AND REUSABLE ORNAMENT
COUPLING APPARATUS AND METHOD

Application No.: 09/989,007

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Examiner: Sperty, Arden B.

Art Unit: 1771

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action dated December 1, 2004, and in the Advisory Action dated May 4, 2005, finally rejecting Claims 8-13, 34, 44-49, 53-55, 60-80 and 83-88.

☒ Applicant claims small entity status.

☒ Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

☒ Notice of Appeal Fee

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250.00 OP

02 FC:2253

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☒ To be paid as detailed below

☐ Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)

The required fees are calculated below:

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	TOTAL FEE:	\$700.00

- [] Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$700.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
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Respectfully submitted,

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